## CAPSULE SUMMARY SHEET

Survey No.: CH-401 (PACS A6)Construction Date:	1928
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Name: Francis D. and Mary Jo Quade Property

Location: 8316 Leonardtown Road, Hughesville, Charles County

Private/Residence/Occupied/Good/Restricted

**Description:** 

The Francis D. and Mary Jo Quade Property is a  $1\frac{1}{2}$ -story, 3-bay side-gable cottage with an associated shed on the east side of Leonardtown Road in the Hughesville vicinity of Charles County. Constructed in 1928, the building has an asphalt shingle roof with a brick interior chimney and a shed roof dormer. It is of wood-frame construction with aluminum siding and a concrete block foundation. The building includes an enclosed, shed roof porch on the west (front) elevation and a gable roof addition on the east (rear) elevation. The wood-frame shed is located northeast of the main house and has a flat roof with an exterior brick chimney.

Significance:

The Francis D. and Mary Jo Quade Property is a vernacular cottage constructed in 1928 on a .271 hectare (.67 acre) parcel on the east side of Leonardtown Road, in Hughesville, Charles County, in Maryland. According to the Charles County Tax Assessor, the building was constructed in 1928. The structure is not a significant resource, as it is an undistinguished example of a common building type. It has been significantly altered by the enclosure of the shed roof porch on the west elevation, a shed roof addition on the east elevation, and the addition of aluminum siding.

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# 7. Description

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Resource Count: 2

Prepare both a summary paragraph and a general description of the resource and its various elements as it exists today.

The Francis D. and Mary Jo Quade Property is a  $1\frac{1}{2}$ -story, 3-bay side-gable cottage with an associated shed on the east side of Leonardtown Road in Hughesville, Charles County. Constructed in 1928, the building has been altered by the enclosure of the porch, a gable addition, and application of aluminum siding.

The residence has an asphalt shingle, side-gable roof with an interior brick chimney and a shed dormer containing a metal awning over the windows. It is of wood-frame construction with a concrete block foundation, and it has aluminum siding. The building contains an enclosed shed roof porch with a 3-light, wood panel front door on the west, or front elevation and a gable roof addition on the east elevation. The windows are a combination of wood, 2/2 and 6/1 double-hung.

Interior access was not available.

There is one flat-roof, wood-frame shed associated with the property. It contains a brick exterior chimney and is located northeast of the main house.

The property is bordered by residences to the north and south and a wooded area to the west. The setting is a mid-twentieth century residential and commercial area along Leonardtown Road, a major regional thoroughfare.

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Prepare both a summary paragraph of significance and a general statement of history and support.

The Francis D. and Mary Jo Quade Property is a vernacular cottage on a .271 hectare (.67 acre) parcel on the east side of Leonardtown Road, in Hughesville, Charles County, in southern Maryland. According to the records of the Charles County Tax Assessor, the building was constructed in 1928. There are no detailed, published historic maps of Charles County, Maryland that locate and indicate ownership of structures.

The Maryland Colony was granted by King Charles I to Lord Baltimore in 1632. Two years later, the first European community was established at St. Mary's City. Subsequent colonization moved north, along the Potomac and Patuxent Rivers. As settlers migrated away from St. Mary's City, the formation of a new county became necessary, and Charles County was founded in 1658. This area was originally inhabited by Algonquins of the Powhatan Confederacy. Road clearing began in the mid-eighteenth century as a result of the establishment of port towns and Maryland's rising population. Tobacco cultivation dominated the economic and social life of Charles County until the mid-nineteenth century when soil exhaustion required agricultural diversification. The introduction of rail lines in the late nineteenth century linked Charles County with the north and south, encouraging trade. While the suburbanization of Charles County was ensured by the widespread availability of the automobile in the mid-twentieth century, the County has retained its rural and agricultural character.

The area that became Hughesville was located in Lord Baltimore's grant of 6,879.9 hectares (17,000 acres) of Newport Hundred to Major William Boarman during 1650-1699. This land included the region "east of Zachiah Swamp" and became known as Boarman's Manor. Hughesville does not appear on an 1840 Map of a Part of Maryland, and Fisher's 1852 Gazetteer of the State of Maryland did not list the community. Hughesville was located at the crossroads of two of the main routes through Charles County: Burnt Store to Patuxent City and on to Annapolis, (Burnt Store Road and Prince Frederick Road/Route 231) and Bryantown to Charlotte Hall and on to St. Mary's City (Leonardtown Road/Route 5). Accordingly, Hughesville is shown on Martenet's 1866 Map of Maryland, Atlas Edition. State Gazette and Merchants and Farmers Directory for The 1871 Maryland and the District of Columbia called Hughesville a "post town." Bland's 1887 Maryland Directory and State Gazetteer listed both Episcopal and Roman Catholic churches in Hughesville as well as a Friends' school, four (4) general merchandise stores, two (2) saloons, two (2) undertakers, a wheelwright, a blacksmith, a tobacco buyer, and a population of fifty (50). Gannett's 1904 Gazetteer of Maryland defined Hughesville as a "post village...on the Washington,

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Potomac and Chesapeake Railroad" (Gannett 1904: 43). By 1906 the community was known as "a station of the Southern Maryland Railroad...and a banking town" with two (2) physicians, two (2) general stores, two (2) blacksmiths, a grist and saw mill, a flour mill, an undertaker and livery, a hotel, a hotel and saloon, a grocer and saloon, an insurance salesman, and a population of 150 (Maryland 1906: 667).

Between 1870 and 1940 the vernacular cottage style was typically built for Americans of modest means. They are characterized by simple ornamentation and mass-produced components, such as door frames, moldings, sash and window units, and porch decoration. The development of post-Civil War machinery capable of producing large amounts of standardized housing elements, such as those found in cottages, contributed greatly to the development of the modern American housing industry. Designs for vernacular cottages were obtained from popular magazines, such as <a href="House Beautiful">House Beautiful</a>, or carpenter's and builder's journals, such as <a href="American Builder">American Builder</a>. A variety of frontgable, side-gable, cross-gable and hipped roof frame cottages were developed in the early to midtwentieth century. Front-gable and hipped roof cottages are primarily 1 to 1½-stories tall, 3-bays wide and several rooms deep. Side-gable and cross-gable structures are usually 2 to 2½-stories tall, are typically 2 to 3-bays in width and vary from one to three rooms deep. They usually include a porch covered with a shed roof. Porches are supported by posts often containing machine-produced Victorian ornamentation. Some cottages feature ornamentation drawn from Craftsman style or Colonial Revival architecture (Gottfried and Jennings 1988, viii-xv).

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## National Register Evaluation:

Constructed in 1928, the Quade property is not eligible for the National Register of Historic Places. The property is not eligible under Criterion A, as research conducted indicates no association with historic events or trends significant in the development of national, state, or local history. Historic research indicates that the property has no association with persons who have made specific contributions to history, and therefore, it is not eligible under Criterion B. It is not eligible under Criterion C, as the structure is an undistinguished example of a common building type, and its integrity has been compromised. It has been significantly altered by the enclosure of the shed roof porch on the west (front) elevation, the gable roof addition on the east (rear) elevation, and the use of aluminum siding. Finally, the structure has no known potential to yield important information, and therefore, it is not eligible under Criterion D.

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# 9. Major Bibliographical References Survey No. CH-401 (PACS A6)

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## 10. Geographical Data

Acreage of nominated property

Quadrangle name <u>Hughesville</u>, MD

Quadrangle scale 1:24,000

Verbal boundary description and justification

List all state	states and counties 1 code	for properties county	overlapping state or county boundaries  code
state	code	county	code

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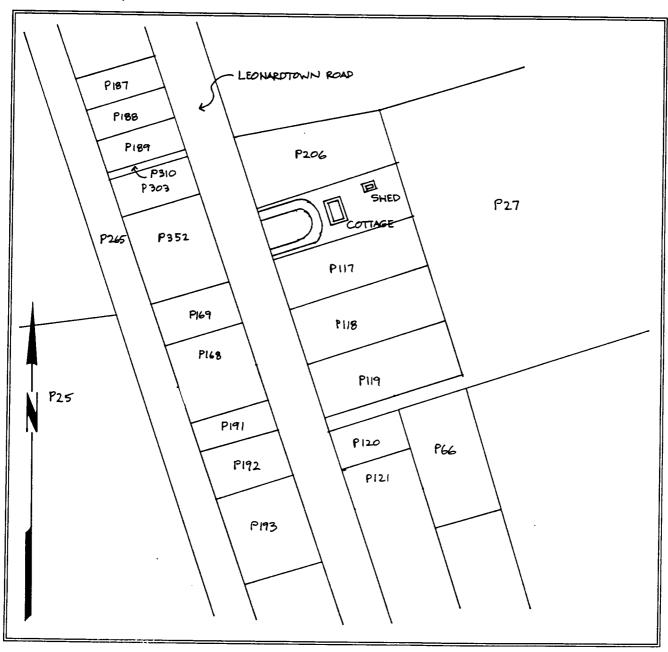
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Resource Sketch Map:



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### Maryland Comprehensive Historic Preservation Plan Data Sheet

### **Historic Context:**

MARYLAND COMPREHENSIVE PRESERVATION PLAN DATA

Geographic Organization:

Western Shore

Chronological/Developmental Period Theme (s):

Industrial/Urban Dominance A.D. 1870-1930

Prehistoric/Historic Period Theme(s):

Architecture, Landscape Architecture, and Community Planning

RESOURCE TYPE:

Category (see Section 3 of survey form):

**Buildings** 

Historic Environment (urban, suburban, village, or rural):

Village

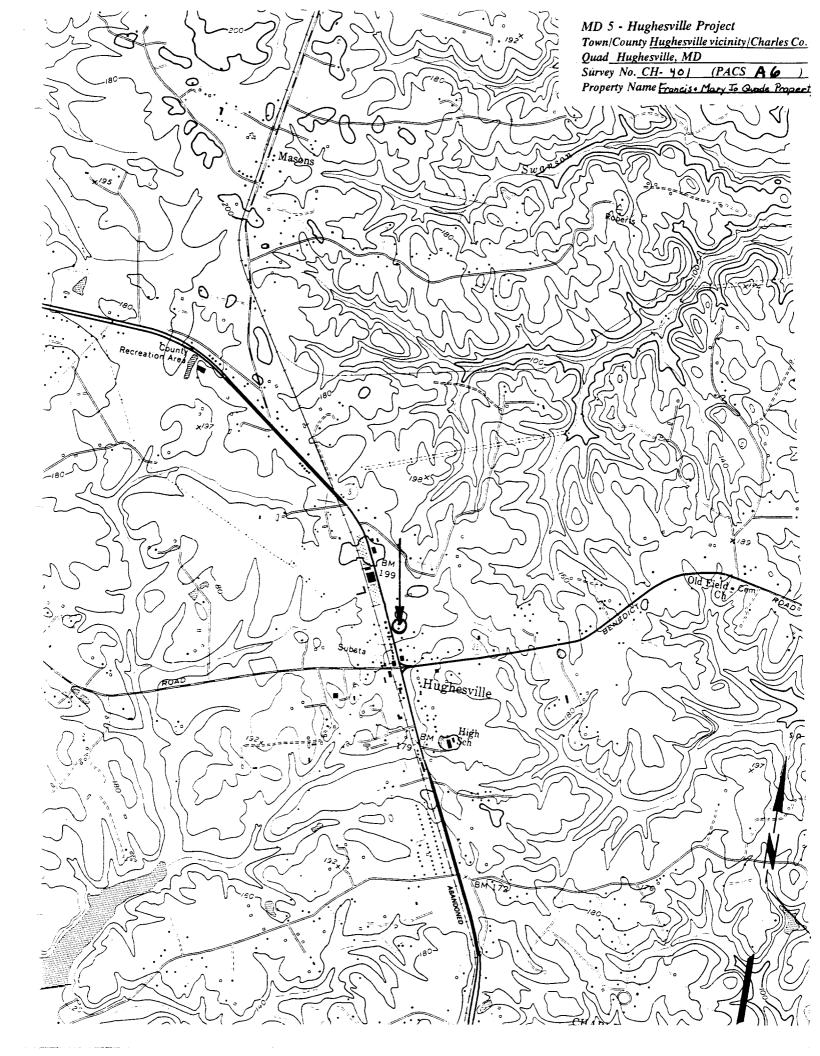
Historic Function(s) and Use(s):

Residence

Known Design Source (write none if unknown):

None

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